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H. R. 576

To direct the Secretary of the Interior to undertake the necessary feasibility studies regarding the establishment of certain new units of the National Park System in the State of Hawaii.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 4, 1997

Mrs. MINK of Hawaii introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. STUDIES OF POTENTIAL NATIONAL PARK SYS-**
4 **TEM UNITS IN HAWAII.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of the Interior, act-
6 ing through the Director of the National Park Service,

1 shall undertake feasibility studies regarding the establish-
2 ment of National Park System units in the following areas
3 in the State of Hawaii:

4 (1) Island of Maui: The shoreline area known
5 as “North Beach”, immediately north of the present
6 resort hotels at Kaanapali Beach, in the Lahaina
7 district in the area extending from the beach inland
8 to the main highway.

9 (2) Island of Lanai: The mountaintop area
10 known as “Hale” in the central part of the island.

11 (3) Island of Kauai: The shoreline area from
12 “Anini Beach” to “Makua Tunnels” on the north
13 coast of this island.

14 (4) Island of Molokai: The “Halawa Valley” on
15 the eastern end of the island, including its shoreline,
16 cove and lookout/access roadway.

17 (b) KALAUPAPA SETTLEMENT BOUNDARIES.—The
18 studies conducted under this section shall include a study
19 of the feasibility of extending the present National His-
20 toric Park boundaries at Kalaupapa Settlement eastward
21 to Halawa Valley along the island’s north shore.

22 (c) REPORT.—A report containing the results of the
23 studies under this section shall be submitted to the Con-
24 gress promptly upon completion.

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